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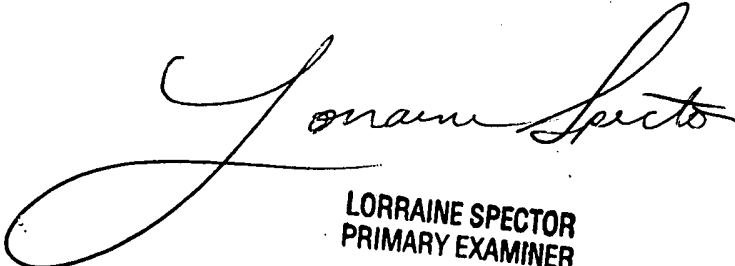
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The reply filed on 24 February 2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the applicant declined to make an election in response to the restriction requirement reasoning that claims 53-90 added in a preliminary amendment mailed on December 5, 2002 have not been considered by the Examiner. Upon further inspection, the Examiner notes that the communication filed on 05 December 2002 was regarding to the issue of sequence compliance, and there is no record of the preliminary amendment with the addition of claims 53-90. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Dong Jiang whose telephone number is 703-305-1345. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Friday from 9:30 AM to 7:00 PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Yvonne Eyler, can be reached on (703) 308-6564. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-308-0294.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-308-0196.


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